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In re Application of: JIN-SU PARK

Original Patent No. 5,719,618 issued on 17 February 1998

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Art Unit: 3662

LOCKING METHOD FOR A SYSTEM WITH AN ON SCREEN DISPLAY  
FUNCTION AND APPARATUS THEREFOR

**TRANSMITTAL OF DECLARATIONS**



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1. Reissue Application Declaration by the Assignee (PTO/SB/52); and
2. Reissue Application Declaration by the Inventor (PTO/SB/51).

For the above captioned reissue application.

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The undersigned officer of the Assignee, is duly authorized to make this Declaration, and has examined the documents of title, and determined that **SAMSUNG ELECTRONICS CO., LTD.**, the assignee of U.S. Patent No. 5,719,618 by virtue of an Assignment from all of the inventors named in that Patent recorded in the U.S. Patent & Trademark Office on 28 August 1989 at Reel No. 5697, at Frame Nos. 121 and 122, consents to the filing of this reissue application for the reissue of U.S. Patent No. 5,719,618.

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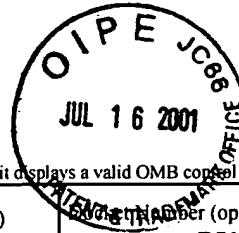
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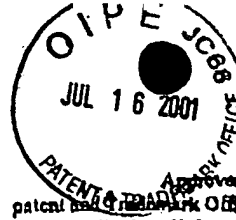
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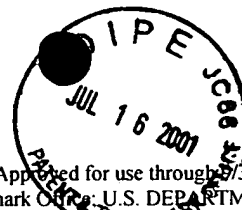
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